

Data Sciences

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Class Periods: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 4:05 PM--4:55PM

Location: tbd

Academic Term: Spring 2022

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Teaching Assistants:

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- TBD

Course Description

Introduces the basics of data science including programming for data analytics, classification, clustering, and regression; lays the foundation for big data applications ranging from social networks to medical and business informatics.

Course Pre-Requisites / Co-Requisites

Algorithms (COP3530) or equivalent. Optional but preferred: introductory course to probabilities and statistics.

Course Objectives

Master data preparation, data analytics including pattern mining, classification, clustering, data visualization

Materials and Supply Fees none

Required Textbooks and Software

- available online **D.P. Kroese, Z.I. Botev, T. Taimre, R. Vaisman. *Data Science and Machine Learning: Mathematical and Statistical Methods*, Chapman and Hall/CRC, Boca Raton, 2019.**

Recommended Materials

- scikit-learn, and many more online resources

Course Schedule

Week 1: Overview; Python setup

Week 2: Importing, Summarizing, and Visualizing Data

Week 3: Statistical Learning I

Week 4: Statistical Learning II

Week 5: Monte Carlo Methods I

Week 6: Monte Carlo Methods II

Week 7: Unsupervised Learning

Week 8: Regression

Week 10: Decision Trees

Week 11: Classification

Week 12: Deep learning I

Week 13: Deep learning II

Week 14: Deep Learning III

Attendance Policy, Class Expectations, and Make-Up Policy

consistent with university policies in the Graduate Catalog

(<http://gradcatalog.ufl.edu/content.php?catoid=10&navoid=2020#attendance>) and require appropriate

documentation. Additional information can be found here:
<https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>

Evaluation of Grades

| Assignment | Total Points | Percentage of Final Grade |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Project (1) | 100 each | 20% |
| Tests (2) | 100 each | 40% |
| Assignments (4) | 100each | 40% |
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Grading Policy

The following is given as an example only. Grades may be curved.

| Percent | Grade | Grade Points |
|----------------|--------------|---------------------|
| 90.0 - 100.0 | A | 4.00 |
| 87.0 - 89.9 | A- | 3.67 |
| 84.0 - 86.9 | B+ | 3.33 |
| 81.0 - 83.9 | B | 3.00 |
| 78.0 - 80.9 | B- | 2.67 |
| 75.0 - 79.9 | C+ | 2.33 |
| 72.0 - 74.9 | C | 2.00 |
| 69.0 - 71.9 | C- | 1.67 |
| 66.0 - 68.9 | D+ | 1.33 |
| 63.0 - 65.9 | D | 1.00 |
| 60.0 - 62.9 | D- | 0.67 |
| 0 - 59.9 | E | 0.00 |

Late submissions

5%/day

Students Requiring Accommodations

Students with disabilities who experience learning barriers and would like to request academic accommodations should connect with the disability Resource Center by visiting <https://disability.ufl.edu/students/get-started/>. It is important for students to share their accommodation letter with their instructor and discuss their access needs, as early as possible in the semester.

Course Evaluation

Students are expected to provide professional and respectful feedback on the quality of instruction in this course by completing course evaluations online via GatorEvals. Guidance on how to give feedback in a professional and respectful manner is available at gatorevals.aa.ufl.edu/students/. Students will be notified when the evaluation period opens, and can complete evaluations through the email they receive from GatorEvals, in their Canvas course menu under GatorEvals, or via ufl.bluera.com/ufl/. Summaries of course evaluation results are available to students at gatorevals.aa.ufl.edu/public-results/.

University Honesty Policy

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facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. If you have any questions or concerns, please consult with the instructor or TAs in this class.

Software Use All faculty, staff, and students of the University are required and expected to obey the laws and legal agreements governing software use. Failure to do so can lead to monetary damages and/or criminal penalties for the individual violator. Because such violations are also against University policies and rules, disciplinary action will be taken as appropriate. We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to uphold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honesty and integrity.

Student Privacy There are federal laws protecting your privacy with regards to grades earned in courses and on individual assignments. For more information, please see:

<http://registrar.ufl.edu/catalog0910/policies/regulationferpa.html>

Campus Resources:

Health and Wellness

U Matter, We Care:

If you or a friend is in distress, please contact umatter@ufl.edu or 352 392-1575 so that a team member can reach out to the student.

Counseling and Wellness Center: <http://www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc>, and 392-1575; and the University Police Department: 392-1111 or 9-1-1 for emergencies.

Sexual Assault Recovery Services (SARS)

Student Health Care Center, 392-1161.

University Police Department at 392-1111 (or 9-1-1 for emergencies), or <http://www.police.ufl.edu/>.

Academic Resources

E-learning technical support, 352-392-4357 (select option 2) or e-mail to Learning-support@ufl.edu.
<https://lss.at.ufl.edu/help.shtml>.

Career Resource Center, Reitz Union, 392-1601. Career assistance and counseling. <https://www.crc.ufl.edu/>.

Library Support, <http://cms.uflib.ufl.edu/ask>. Various ways to receive assistance with respect to using the libraries or finding resources.

Teaching Center, Broward Hall, 392-2010 or 392-6420. General study skills and tutoring.
<https://teachingcenter.ufl.edu/>.

Writing Studio, 302 Tigert Hall, 846-1138. Help brainstorming, formatting, and writing papers.
<https://writing.ufl.edu/writing-studio/>.

Student Complaints Campus: https://www.dso.ufl.edu/documents/UF_Complaints_policy.pdf.

On-Line Students Complaints: <http://www.distance.ufl.edu/student-complaint-process>.